



E. P. THOMPSON

June 2-98

÷ ANNUAL · REPORT ÷

... OF THE ...

❖ TOWN ❖ OF ❖ GILMANTON ❖

... FOR THE ...

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1892

— 600 — MINISTERS

ENDORSE

Dr. Warren's
Wild Cherry and
Sarsaparilla Troches

IN THIS WAY.

REV. R. H. HOWARD, Milbury, Mass.—"I cannot keep house without them."

REV. JOS. GREENLEAF, New Canaan, Ct.—"Have never failed of relieving an annoying cough."

REV. H. S. PARMALEE, E. Canaan, N. H.—"Superior to anything I ever used."

REV. W. H. DOWDEN, W. Hanover, Mass.—"One of the best remedies for the prevailing influenza."

REV. C. P. NASH, Camden, Me.—"Nothing I ever used did me so much good."

REV. E. A. REED, Needham, Mass.—"I have never found anything to compare with them."

REV. E. CURTIS, Pleasant Valley, Ct.—"The very best ever made."

REV. JOHN SPINNEY, Stark, Me.—"In less than two minutes after taking one of Dr. Warren's Wild Cherry and Sarsaparilla Troches I was relieved of my hoarseness and tickling in my throat."

Ex-Senator Blair,
Richard Mansfield,
William. H. Crane,
Tony Pastor,
Roland Reed,
Robert B. Mantell,

RECOMMEND THEM.

No medicine ever had such praise for

Coughs, Colds and Throat Troubles

All druggists. Box sent on receipt of 2 c. by
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Manchester, N. H.

CATARRH

Nearly Everybody Has It

— THE BEST AID IS —

Constitutional Catarrh Remedy

An Old and Popular Medicine.

Testimony of Leading Druggists:

GEO. C. GOODWIN & CO.

MESSRS. C. B. LITTLEFIELD & CO.:

IN REPLY TO YOURS ASKING HOW CONSTITUTIONAL CATARRH REMEDY HAS SATISFIED OUR CUSTOMERS, WE WOULD SAY WE HAVE SOLD THOUSANDS OF BOTTLES AND HAVE NEVER HEARD ONE COMPLAINT AGAINST IT; BUT, ON THE CONTRARY, IT GIVES UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION, AND WE CONSIDER IT ONE OF THE BEST, IF NOT THE BEST, CATARRH REMEDY IN THE MARKET. ITS LARGE SALE IS THE BEST EVIDENCE OF ITS INTRINSIC MERIT.

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WE HAVE SOLD A LARGE QUANTITY OF YOUR CONSTITUTIONAL CATARRH REMEDY, AND, FROM THE TESTIMONY OF OUR PATRONS, WE CONSIDER IT ONE OF THE BEST MEDICINES FOR CATARRH WE HAVE EVER SOLD, GIVING PERFECT SATISFACTION IN ALL CASES, AND CAN HEARTILY RECOMMEND IT TO ALL WHO ARE AFFLICTED WITH THIS TROUBLESOME DISEASE.

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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF GILMANTON

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

SELECTMEN, COLLECTOR, TREASURER, AUDITORS,
TOWN CLERK, AND SCHOOL BOARD.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

MARCH 1, 1892.

MANCHESTER:

PRINTED BY THE JOHN B. CLARKE CO.

1892.

INTEREST COLLECTED OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS.

Royal L. Page,	\$0.03	John S. French,	\$0.07
Ira Shannon,	.03	Estate of John H. Carr,	.19
Daniel H. Moulton,	.01	Jesse F. Place,	.05
George A. Gale,	.02	Edward E. Smith,	.03
Henry E. Marsh,	.14	Josiah J. Bean,	.26
Charles S. Page,	.03	Walter J. Edgerly,	.11
Riley M. Bickford,	.02	Olive J. Green,	.05
Horace T. Gilman,	.02	Matthias Weeks,	.21
Charles S. Bunker,	.01	Est. Jemima Marsh,	.04
Jonathan Sleeper,	.04	Orrin Folsom,	.06
Charles A. Osborn,	.02	Ruel H. Hoadley,	.03
Nelson B. McMurphy,	.02	Jasper J. Hoadley,	.09
Dudley J. Pease,	.02	Samuel K. Twombly,	.04
John S. Osborn,	.06	Hannah Webster,	.16
Sarah S. Howard,	.03	R. H. and A. A. Jones,	.28
John L. Pease,	.02	Dorothy S. Coffin,	.31
Eugene L. Mudgett,	.06	Levi B. Allen,	.01
Levi H. Mudgett,	.08	Charles W. Munsey,	.06
Estate of Benj. French,	.16	Richard J. Varney,	.09
Shoe factory, by Thos.		Owen J. Edgerly,	.07
Cogswell,	.10	Sally Edgerly Heirs,	.06
H. B. Kimball, by Thos.		Wilbur N. Young,	.02
Cogswell,	.03	Clara I. Ayers,	.09
O. A. J. Vaughn heirs,	.02	Mary E. Tuttle,	.06
Thomas Cogswell,	.51	Ezekiel E. Witham,	.07
Elwood H. Hill,	.06	F. B. Underhill heirs,	.23
Joseph R. Hill,	.06	Anna C. Jacobs estate,	.10
Luanna M. Peaslee,	.03	H. M. Wright,	.09
Benjamin Jones,	.01	Jasper J. Riley,	.12
Frank N. Merrill,	.09	Stephen S. Moody,	.14
Olive E. Jones,	.02	Joseph A. Spear,	.04
John S. R. Brown,	.12	Charles A. Hackett,	.01
Frank D. Young,	.06	Lorrain E. Weeks,	.04

John W. Rollins,	\$0.03	John A. Maxfield,	\$0.03
James W. Cogswell,	.51	Bert A. Maxfield,	.01
Walter H. Stevens,	.02	Thomas M. Greenough,	.03
Edwin S. Barron,	.02	W.C. & G. H. Greenough,	.12
Laurel A. Blake,	.09	Josiah R. Morrill,	.04
John S. Page,	.10	Frank B. Kenney,	.05
Albert F. Page,	.12	Hiram B. Maxfield,	.13
Weymouth Bean,	.05	Edwin E. Maxfield,	.05
George W. Sanborn,	2.13	John K. Dudley,	.29
Jonathan Brown estate,	.17	George W. Parsons,	.18
Ella A. Smith,	.01	Benjamin Hall heirs,	.33
Delta H. Merrill,	.02	Daniel H. Elkins,	.03
John F. Folsom,	.32	Samuel B. Swain,	.02
George C. Prescott,	.35	Jeremiah Blake,	.64
Benjamin H. Dorman,	.13	John S. Trask,	.27
Augustus W. Smith,	.15	Frank T. Collins,	.19
George C. Parsons,	.44	George W. Griffin,	.35
Charles J. Brown,	.10	Heirs F. H. Hodgdon,	.17
Foss & Green,	.11	Trustees Gilmanton	
Joseph Brown,	.12	Academy,	.08
Frank R. Griffin,	.03	Elbridge G. Clough,	.54
Charles W. Marsh,	.05	Edgar F. Hall,	.86
Jesse F. Weeks,	.06	Joseph L. Jones,	.33
John H. Haines,	.06	Joseph Brake,	.05
G. & G. T. Worthington,	.10	Samuel Clement,	.08
Richard J. Varney,	.70	Lewis K. Parsons,	.05
Alfred S. Hilliard,	.18	Jas. A. Jones & Son,	.47
Ann W. Lougee,	.29	Reuben P. Lougee,	.37
Alonzo Rollins estate,	.03	Benjamin F. Webster,	.13
Asa Page,	.19	Charles A. Price,	.27
Charles H. Shannon,	.15	Charles A. Dockham,	.84
E. P. & J. P. Ellsworth,	.45	Merwin E. French,	.45
Heirs of C. H. Maxfield,	.05	C. D. & E. L. Gay,	.80
Cyrus Gilman,	.70	Hussey & Lord,	.72
John P. Hussey,	.57	Daniel Elkins,	.68
Edwin J. Page,	.23		
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			\$23.69

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

For the year 1891.

To the taxpayers of the town of Gilmanton:

I hereby submit my report as collector :

Whole amount of taxes committed to me for collection	\$9,222.27
Whole amt. collected and paid to treasurer .	9,222.27
I have received in abatements	\$67.30
In above abatements there was overtax .	16.34
Actual abatements	50.96
Collected interest to the amount of . . .	23.69

CHARLES H. GOODWIN,

Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

John Connell, town treasurer, in account with the town
of Gilmanton.

1891.

Mar. 1.	To cash in hands of treasurer .	\$4,025.37
	Received of selectmen for ox sold .	61.50
Aug. 22.	of the county	12.00
	of the county	8.25
	note for difference be-	
	tween oxen	30.00
Oct. 31.	for oxen sold	90.00
Nov. 28.	from state for damage	
	done domestic animals	53.00
	for oxen sold	65.00
	from the county	12.00
Dec. 12.	from state for railroad tax	17.56
	savings bank	
	tax	2,243.82
	literary fund	262.50
	of W. H. S. Hatch, for	
	dog licenses	238.50
	of C. H. Goodwin, inter-	
	est on notes	3.92
	of C. H. Goodwin, col-	
	lector in 1891	9,222.27
	of C. H. Goodwin, inter-	
	est collected on taxes .	23.69
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		\$16,369.38

OUTSTANDING ORDERS AND INTEREST.

1891.

April 17.	Paid J. Edgar, order, in part,	\$4.07
	R. Lougee, " "	10.11
	R. Lougee, " "	25.00
24.	L. F. Edgerly " in full	379.42

June 25.	Paid M. J. Potter, order in part,	\$11.25
	O. J. Edgerly, " "	28.50
Aug. 6.	A. P. Shannon, " "	5.15
Sept. 3.	E. N. Parsons, " "	21.13
Oct. 2.	M. A. Lougee, " "	46.68
	M. A. Lougee, " "	48.00
10.	Ira Shannon, " "	15.00
	R. Lougee, " "	70.00
Nov. 2.	M. S. Gale, two orders, " "	9.00
	S. M. Gale, order " "	10.50
5.	S. M. Gale, " "	14.10
Dec. 3.	Ira Shannon, " "	20.00
8.	M. J. Potter, " in full,	511.00
9.	L. C. Page, " "	17.90
16.	C. Varney, " in part,	200.00
1892.		
Jan. 4.	O. J. Edgerly, " in full,	970.66
20.	R. Lougee, " in part,	50.00
	Interest on parsonage fund,	25.06
Feb. 23.	O. E. Moulton bal. in full,	8.95
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		\$2,501.48

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid C. E. Merrill, cash paid for labor and lumber used in Academy hall	\$6.65
C. E. Merrill, cash paid for blank book for town	1.50
Thomas Cogswell, for use of Academy hall, for the year ending Mar. 1, 1891	12.00
C. E. Merrill, for board of town officers, March 11, 1891	2.00
S. J. Davis, for board of supervisors and horse-keeping in 1890	4.05
G. W. Dow, 2d, for horse-keeping and wood for town hall	2.00
E. C. Eastman, for blank books for town	5.13
Weeks Bros., for printing town reports	50.00
G. W. Griffin, for cattle purchased for town	125.00

Paid A. W. Bartlett, for cattle purchased for town	\$123.00
C. E. Merrill, for copying invoice of 1891	8.00
A. F. Paige, for decorating soldiers' graves	25.00
L. S. Perley, for surveying and making specification for new road around Ayer hill	5.00
Lewis Vaughn & Co., for advertising for proposals for building new road	1.50
Z. H. Kitchen, for use of watering-tub for the year ending March 1, 1892	3.00
J. W. Ham, cash paid for pasturing cattle belonging to town	3.00
Use of watering-tub for the year ending March 1, 1892:	
J. B. Durrell	3.00
M. C. Lamprey	3.00
D. Cook	3.00
C. A. Price	3.00
C. A. Osborn	2.00
A. P. Ellsworth	3.00
A. A. Jones, making and repairing guideboards	1.75
C. E. Merrill, cash paid for painting guideboards	1.50
Lewis Vaughn & Co., printing order blanks	1.50
Weeks Bros., printing receipt blanks	1.50
S. A. Taylor, reporting 3 births and 5 deaths	2.00
M. P. Page, use of watering-tub	1.75
J. Brown, use of watering-tub, housing road-machine, express bills on edge, care of town oxen	6.00
G. C. Prescott, use of watering-tub for the year ending March 1, 1892	3.00
George F. Kelley, use of watering-tub for the year ending March 1, 1892	2.00
J. Connell & Co., blank books, postage, stationery, etc.	1.95

Paid C. H. Connell, board of selectmen, horse feed, and rent of room	\$50.00
J. W. Ham, cash paid for money orders, postal notes, and postage	1.00
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	\$467.78

BREAKING ROADS.

Paid J. B. McClary, winter work on road in 1889-90	\$2.60
Charles H. Goodwin, collector, 1890-91	2,213.56
C. F. Hoyt, 1890-91	6.15
E. E. Witham, 1890-91	3.00
W. D. Walcott, 1890-91	3.00
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	\$2,228.31

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid J. Brown, operating road-machine 28 days, furnishing one pair of oxen, boarding one pair of cattle, shoeing oxen, and repairing machine	\$203.30
E. C. Varney, labor on road in 1891	7.50
A. H. Weed, balance of highway tax in 1891 . . . . .	.61
A. H. Weed, labor on road 2 days in Greenough district, man and oxen	5.00
L. W. Downing, balance on highway tax, 1891	8.70
A. H. Green, balance on highway tax, 1891	2.67
George W. Abbott, labor on road and blacksmith work for town	5.35
R. M. Bickford, operating road-machine 25 days	43.75
R. M. Bickford, cash paid for board of cattle	22.40
C. H. French, 26 days' labor driving team on road-machine	39.00
C. H. French, board of oxen 12 5-6 days, and other expenses	10.35

Paid S. E. Eveleth, labor on highway in 1891	\$7.00
J. J. Hoadley, labor on highway in 1891	2.63
A. M. Weed, labor on highway in 1891	9.37
M. Weeks, labor of oxen on highway, 2 pairs, 2 days	4.00
George A. Sargent, furnishing and setting one guidepost	.50
S. E. Eveleth, labor on highway	3.25
A. H. Jones, bridge plank for town	4.43
J. S. Beck, labor on highway	5.51
J. Hadlock, edge for road-machine	8.50
G. W. Abbott, blacksmith work and labor on the road	3.98
A. S. Leighton, labor on passway	1.70
L. A. Blake, labor on highway in 1891	9.58
H. E. Marsh, estate, labor on highway in 1891	6.25
C. E. Plummer, labor on highway in 1891	6.41
S. B. Swain, labor on highway in 1891	4.67
J. M. W. Kitchen, tile furnished for culvert	5.00
D. H. Maxfield, labor on highway	7.78
A. J. Lamprey, labor on highway	3.00
R. R. Colcord, labor on highway	1.25
M. C. Lamprey, labor on highway	7.21
R. A. Knowles, labor on highway	18.63
J. P. Clough, labor on highway	1.50
M. S. Clough, labor on highway	.75
L. M. Page, labor on highway	1.48
L. A. Blake, labor on highway	13.13
M. E. French, labor on highway	6.00
C. E. Merrill, labor on highway	9.75
R. A. Knowles, labor on highway, and lumber	5.42
C. C. Varney, labor on highway and lumber for bridges, and board of town team and man	6.25
H. M. Wright, drawing drain-pipe from Concord	2.80
E. S. Nelson, labor on road and damage to plow	5.73
J. T. Griffin, labor on road	10.00

Paid H. M. Nelson and H. J. Marsh, bridge plank for town, and labor on bridge .	\$14.15
J. R. Munsey, labor on highway	21.62
D. Cook, bridge plank for town	18.13
S. W. Sargent, bridge plank and labor on road	1.39
L. E. Page, bridge plank and stringers for town	25.00
J. R. Munsey, labor on highway	8.88
S. K. Twombly, labor on highway	20.87
J. J. Hoadley, labor on highway	45.75
A. P. Ellsworth, labor on highway	6.75
G. W. Abbott, blacksmith, for town . . . .	.60
C. E. Merrill, cash paid for oil, and making drills . . . . .	.70
C. E. Merrill, cash paid for labor on highway	3.94
C. E. Merrill, cash paid for gas-pipe and freighting drain-pipe from Laconia	2.20
Sanders Bros., drain tile for town	4.50
Laconia Hardware Company, ammunition for blasting on road	1.68
Sanders Bros., Akron pipe for town	6.75
Laconia Hardware Company, powder, fuse, and steel for town	4.25
M. S. Gale, labor on bridge	12.50
G. H. Brown, labor on highway	4.75
A. A. Jones, lumber, labor, drain-pipe for bridges and culverts for the town	64.50
A. A. Jones, damage to wagon on highway	3.00
W. B. French, rails and labor	6.50
C. D. Gay, labor on road in C. Varney district	6.88
Thomas M. Greenough, labor on road	1.25
G. H. Greenough, labor on road and railing bridge	11.04
G. H. Greenough, bridge plank for town	17.25
Frank N. Merrill, labor on road	4.00
J. A. Jones, bridge plank and labor on bridge	3.00
George H. Brown, poles for railing	1.17

Paid George A. Sargent, stringers for bridge	\$1.00
A. R. Wright, poles for railing . . .	5.00
A. H. Jones, lumber for bridges . . .	1.00
J. P. Hussey, bridge plank for town . .	31.22
J. Connell, spikes for town	1.04
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	\$894.36

ABATEMENTS.

Paid C. Varney, over-tax on horse, 1890 . .	\$1.72
William J. Foss, abatement of tax on sheep lost, 189036
George Worthington, abatement of tax on horse lost, 1891 . . . . .	.68
J. S. French, abatement of tax on cow lost, 1890 . . . . .	.41
F. J. French, abatement of overtax on real estate, 1890-91	1.43
R. M. Gray, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
C. H. Goodwin, collector, abatement of tax of J. J. and Benson Leavitt, 1890, on part of real estate	37.52
C. Lamprey, abatement of tax on ox, 1890, and one lost in 1891	1.56
S. E. Eveleth, abatement of tax on horse lost . . . . .	.68
B. W. Chapman, abatement of tax on cow lost . . . . .	.24
C. H. Goodwin, collector, abatement of overtax on poll of J. H. Gilman . . .	1.70
J. Seavey, abatement of tax on poll . .	1.70
G. W. Swain, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
C. H. Brock, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
J. C. Ham, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
W. Foss, abatement of poll tax, 1891 . .	1.70
S. Wentworth, abatement of taxes, 1891	1.70
J. Leonard, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
B. Twombly, abatement of poll tax, 1891	1.70
J. Leyland, abatement of poll and other taxes, 1891	2.72

Paid J. W. McMurphy, abatement of poll tax, 1891	\$1.70
Mrs. J. Sleeper, abatement of tax on horse lost, 1889 . . . . .	.67
C. H. Goodwin, abatement of taxes on dogs killed	41.00
C. H. Goodwin, abatement for non-resi- dent highway tax worked	1.89
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	\$109.58

POOR OF TOWN.

Paid D. Cook, aid to W. Bean from Feb. 21 to June 20, 1891	\$32.59
George H. Brown, medical aid to W. Bean	11.00
W. S. P. Sanderson, medicine furnished W. Bean	10.15
D. Cook, groceries furnished W. Bean . .	24.65
Dearborn & Gault, aid furnished F. P. Hutchinson	12.35
George H. Brown, aid furnished F. P. Hutchinson	7.75
George H. Brown, aid furnished B. Twombly to Dec. 25, 1891	8.00
S. K. Twombly, aid to B. Twombly to Feb. 1, \$2 per week	18.00
E. J. Lord, funeral expenses and burial of W. Bean	21.00
Thomas M. Greenough, board and care of B. A. Leavitt	5.00
C. E. Merrill, self and team conveying B. A. Leavitt to county farm	5.00
C. E. Merrill, aid to B. A. Leavitt . . .	4.60
Charles A. Twombly, aid to F. P. Hutchinson from Dec. 26, 1891, to Feb. 5, 1892	15.00
George H. Brown, medical aid to W. Bean	12.50
George H. Brown, medical aid to F. P. Hutchinson	20.50

Paid George H. Brown, medical aid to B. Twombly	\$15.00
W. S. P. Sanderson, medicine for B. Twombly	2.00
W. S. P. Sanderson, medical supplies for W. Bean	6.00
W. S. P. Sanderson, medical supplies for F. Hutchinson	3.55
D. Cook, aid to W. Bean	17.61
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	\$252.23

POOR CHARGEABLE TO THE COUNTY.

Paid E. J. Lord, coffin and box for French child	\$4.75
J. S. Trask, keeping 4 transient paupers, supper, breakfast, and lodging	3.50
J. E. Curry, aid to said Curry, 6 weeks to July 8, 1891	12.00
J. E. Curry, aid to said Curry, 6 weeks to August 19, 1891	12.00
J. E. Curry, aid to self, 6 weeks to Oct. 1, 1892	12.00
J. S. Trask, keeping tramp over night, supper and breakfast	1.50
George H. Brown, medical attendance for M. Moody	2.50
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	\$48.25

AID TO SOLDIERS.

Paid George H. Brown, medical attendance to A. Burbank from Feb. 17 to April 18, 1891	\$13.75
F. S. Cole, aid to C. S. Bunker, 11 weeks at \$4 per week	44.00
J. W. Ham, aid to C. S. Bunker, from June 1 to June 15, 1891	8.00
A. M. Huse, aid to C. S. Bunker, June 15 to July 13, 1891	16.00

Paid F. S. Cole, aid to C. S. Bunker, in full to June 1, 1891	\$28.00
George H. Brown, medical attendance to A. Burbank, \$6.60, and William Sidney, \$1.25	7.85
W. S. P. Sanderson, medicine furnished William Sidney	4.45
W. S. P. Sanderson, medicine furnished A. Burbank	1.30
George H. Brown, aid, visits and medicine to William Sidney	8.00
W. S. P. Sanderson, medical aid to William Sidney20
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	\$131.55

BOOKS FURNISHED SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Paid J. W. Ham, books and school supplies ordered by school board	\$121.13
J. Connell, books and school supplies ordered by school board	1.46
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	\$122.59

BUILDING NEW ROAD.

Paid O. L. Green, building road as per contract	\$400.00
D. S. Ayer, damage to land on account of laying out and building new road	400.00
Jewett & Plummer, cost in D. S. Ayer vs. town	12.90
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	\$812.90

EXPENSE OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Paid F. M. Twombly, services as member and treasurer of school board, 1890	\$44.50
George W. Parsons, balance of pay for services as member of school board, 1890	34.17

Paid J. H. Jones, services as member of school board, 1890	\$43.00
George W. Parsons, in part, for services as member of school board, 1891 . .	30.00
J. H. Jones, services as member of school board, 1891	39.75
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	\$191.42
Paid J. H. Jones, repairing schoolhouse in part in old school district No. 7 . .	\$150.00

SCHOOL MONEY.

Paid treasurer of school board	\$1,199.35
Paid Solon A. Carter, state tax	\$1,400.00
Paid D. A. Plummer, county tax	\$1,842.90

DAMAGE DONE DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN 1890.

Paid J. A. Downs, as per order	\$15.00
J. A. Maxfield, as per order	16.50
C. A. Price, as per order	5.00
E. G. Clough, as per order	28.00
L. B. Place, as per order	4.00
J. D. Nelson, as per order	5.00
E. L. Mudgett, as per order	22.50
N. B. Sanborn, as per order	63.00
J. R. Sawyer, as per order	20.00
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	\$179.00

DAMAGE DONE DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN 1891.

Paid H. B. Maxfield, damage to sheep by dogs	\$2.00
C. E. Plummer, damage to sheep by dogs	10.00
S. K. Twombly, damage to sheep by dogs	5.00

Paid C. E. Merrill, appraising damage to sheep, and traveling fees	\$4.60
A. R. Page, appraising damage to sheep and fowls, and traveling fees	2.80
C. W. Munsey, loss of cow by dogs . .	20.00
F. T. Collins, damage to sheep and fowls by dogs	6.50
R. L. Page, damage to sheep	2.50
Silby & Son, dog license book	2.50
W. H. S. Hatch, express on dog license book35
N. J. Bachelder, 125 dog license blanks	1.25
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	\$57.50

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid George W. Dow, 2d, services as auditor	\$5.00
L. E. Page, services as auditor	5.00
A. R. Page, expense of perambulating town lines	12.85
C. E. Merrill, expense of perambulating town lines	12.00
J. W. Ham, cash paid out for surveyor on Gilford and Gilmanton lines	2.50
J. W. Ham, labor and expense of perambulating Gilford, Gilmanton, and Barnstead lines	6.00
E. Varney and G. W. Adams, services as supervisors, 1891	12.00
Charles H. Goodwin, collecting the taxes in the town of Gilmanton, for the year ending March 1, 1892	150.00
W. H. S. Hatch, services as town clerk and recording births and deaths, and services as clerk of school district . .	44.80
J. Connell, services as treasurer, 1891	60.00
A. R. Page, services as selectman, from March 1, 1891, to February 26, 1892 . .	53.50
J. W. Ham, services as selectman, from March 1, 1891, to February 26, 1892 . .	63.91
C. E. Merrill, services as selectman, from March 1, 1891, to February 26, 1892 . .	73.00
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2	\$500.56

RECAPITULATION.

To amount charged to treasurer by the selectmen	\$16,369.38
Paid outstanding orders and interest	\$2,501.48
current expenses, miscellaneous	467.78
current expenses, roads and bridges	894.36
current expenses, breaking roads in winter, 1890-91	2,228.31
current expenses, abatements	109.58
current expenses, aid to soldiers	131.55
current expenses, poor of town	252.23
current expenses, county poor	48.25
current expenses, town officers	500.56
current expenses, school board	191.42
damage done domestic animals, 1890	179.00
damage done domestic animals, 1891	57.50
school money, 1891	1,199.35
county tax, 1891	1,842.90
state tax, 1890	1,400.00
expense of new road	812.90
books furnished school district	122.59
repairing schoolhouse	150.00
Cash in hands of treasurer	3,279.62
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	\$16,369.38

Settled as above.

JOHN CONNELL,
Treasurer.

JOHN W. HAM,
ALBERT R. PAGE,
CHARLES E. MERRILL,
Selectmen of Gilmanston.

We, the undersigned, have carefully examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and a balance of \$3,279.62 in hands of treasurer.

GEORGE W. DOW, 2d,
LUTHER E. PAGE,
Auditors.

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

	Order.	Interest due March 1, 1892.
E. Holbrook, balance	\$92.94	\$11.15
C. F. Moulton, two	11.06	4.60
E. Hill, balance	421.20	41.45
S. A. Cotton, three	255.00	16.56
Bearer	417.81	25.06
M. M. Lougee	40.00	3.52
M. A. Nelson, balance	200.00	17.62
M. R. Lougee, two	145.00	24.87
Ira Shannon, balance	12.23	
M. A. Lougee, two	459.34	15.05
J. Watson, balance of two	180.00	54.47
M. Nelson, two	580.00	47.25
A. P. Shannon	171.72	5.15
R. Lougee, balance	155.00	5.76
J. A. Edgerly	180.00	5.06
N. Hodgdon	100.00	5.74
M. A. Hurd	300.00	17.22
A. W. Lougee, balance	85.75	7.98
A. M. Hurd	93.42	19.40
D. G. Edgerly, balance	200.00	7.67
J. Young, balance of two	445.93	103.03
C. Varney	202.67	13.04
A. L. Lougee	86.00	15.40
M. B. Avery	232.00	18.37
A. N. Parsons	225.00	3.34
L. A. Huzzey	509.16	45.80
S. M. Gale, two	820.00	15.05
M. S. Gale	300.00	3.97

M. A. Lougee	\$24.39	\$1.59
M. L. Dow	121.14	9.38
V. Ham	100.00	4.40
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	\$7,166.76	\$568.95

Amount of outstanding orders and interest
due March 1, 1892 \$7,735.71

ASSETS OF TOWN MARCH 1, 1892.

Cash in hands of treasurer, March 1, 1892	\$3,279.76	
Two safes	349.30	
Two road-machines	300.00	
Land purchased by the town	100.00	
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		\$8,706.65
Indebtedness over means March 1, 1891	\$5,081.85	
Indebtedness over means March 1, 1892	3,706.65	
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Reduction of debt in 1891	\$1,375.20	

JOHN CONNELL,

Treasurer.

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Selectmen of Gilmanton.

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LUTHER E. PAGE,

Auditors.

REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL BOARD OF GILMANTON:

FOR 1891.

The number of schools maintained in town the past year has been sixteen, as follows:

Kelley, No. 1; Potter, No. 2; Hall's Hill, No. 3; Pond, No. 4; Smith meeting-house, No. 5; Cogswell, No. 6; Lougetown, No. 7; Allen's Mills, No. 8; Corner, No. 9; Sanborn, No. 10; Gale, No. 11; Jones's Mills, No. 13; Griffin, No. 14; Parish, No. 15; Lamprey, No. 17; Iron Works, No. 18.

A detailed report of each school in town, together with the apparent success or failure attending each term for the past year, being herewith appended, further extended remarks appear to be unnecessary.

We take pleasure in reporting an increasing interest in the several studies pursued in our schools — a gratifying result, we think, of the system of furnishing books and supplies for all the pupils. It is proving already to be one of the greatest advantages our public schools have ever enjoyed. Every child can now enter school with the certain knowledge that whatever is needed for their mental improvement, in the way of books or supplies, is to be freely furnished for their use. We apprehend that the time is not far distant when the town, or state, must go one step further, and furnish the means for the industrial as well as mental education of its children.

The action of the town at the last annual meeting in reducing the school fund to so meagre a sum was at least a grave mistake. We feel that it was a manifest injustice to the youth of our town, depriving them of many privileges to which they are justly entitled. We are charitably disposed to believe it was the result of a misconception on the part of many; if such, it was an error that is not likely to be repeated. If adopted as a measure of economy, it will be found in the end to lead to poverty.

KELLEY AND PARISH DISTRICTS, NOS. 1 AND 15.

These two districts have been combined the past year, as most of the children in the Parish district could be accommodated in the Kelley district without occasioning undue hardship to any.

There have been two terms during the year, a summer term of eight weeks in the Kelley district and a fall term of twelve weeks, six weeks in the Parish and six weeks in the Kelley district, both terms under the instruction of Mrs. Etta M. Gilman.

The phenomenal prosperity that has invariably attended the labors of Mrs. Gilman in our district schools in years past, has crowned her efforts during the past year with complete success, and she receives, as she richly deserves, the commendation of the parents as well as the love and respect of the children under her care and instruction.

Number of visitors, first term, 15; second term, 13.

Percentage of daily attendance, first term, 95.83; second term, 92.73.

POTTER DISTRICT, NO. 2.

Summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Emma A. Clarke, of Durham. Winter term of six weeks taught by Mrs. Etta M. Gilman.

Your committee were very fortunate in being able to obtain the services of two such able and experienced teachers for this school. Although there were but fourteen weeks of school in this district during the year, yet the larger portion of the pupils were accommodated in

the Parish and Kelley and in the Cogswell districts, consequently they received the benefit of twenty-four weeks' instruction from competent and experienced teachers, and the indications were, from the recitations and deportment of the scholars at the closing exercises of the different terms where they attended, that they fully appreciated the privileges and opportunities furnished them, and that they were putting forth the best efforts to obtain the greatest amount of good in the shortest space of time.

Number of visitors, first term, 17 ; second term, 4.

Percentage of daily attendance, first term, 100 ; second term, 100.

POND DISTRICT, NO. 4.

One term of six weeks, taught by Miss Georgia M. Griffin.

Your committee was very much inclined to combine this district with neighboring districts, as there were but two scholars in the district who might not have been provided for without great inconvenience, but on account of the earnestly expressed wish of some of the parents, we decided to give them a short winter term.

The school appeared well at the commencement, and I have no doubt that Miss Griffin labored earnestly for the good of the scholars, but what success attended her labors I am not able to report, as I was unable to be present at the closing examination on account of a severe storm.

Number of visitors, 8.

Percentage of daily attendance, 100.

SMITH MEETING-HOUSE DISTRICT, NO. 5.

Summer term of eight weeks, taught by Miss Georgie M. Griffin. This school is putting forth a united effort to regain the high position in point of literary attainments and scholarly achievements it formerly enjoyed, and with the proper assistance of the parents, and the furnishing of interested and competent teachers, the attainment of the object of their efforts is not far in the future.

There are some very good scholars in this school at the present time, and many that are making rapid advancement. The examination at the close of the term was very satisfactory. Order unexceptionable.

Winter term of eight weeks, taught by Mr. Haven F. Gilman. This was Mr. Gilman's first effort, and in his own district with many of his former schoolmates for pupils. It is not unfrequently the case under similar circumstances that school officers, though reluctantly, are compelled to report partial or complete failure on the part of the teacher, but it affords your committee much pleasure to be able to report a remarkably successful term. Mr. Gilman displayed excellent judgment in his methods of instruction, and in the management of his school. By his gentlemanly deportment he gained the respect of his scholars, and by his social and familiar ways he easily secured their love and cheerful co-operation. If Mr. Gilman decides to make teaching his future vocation he will be a valuable acquisition to our present corps of teachers.

Number of visitors, first term, 14; second term, 13.

Percentage of daily attendance, first term, 100; second term, 90.9.

GRIFFIN DISTRICT, NO. 14.

One term of twelve weeks, taught by Miss Emma A. Clarke of Durham, N. H. This school at the present time is small in number and young in years, yet they were much interested in their work and gave evidence of close application to their studies.

The teacher in this school, as in other schools under her charge, readily gained the good will of her pupils, thereby rendering her labors less trying and the results of her efforts more satisfactory.

Number of visitors, 24.

Percentage of daily attendance, 100.

HALL'S HILL SCHOOL, NO. 3.

This school has been under the instruction of quite young teachers the past year, yet we think the intellectual improvement of its members is very perceptible.

Miss Jessie N. Jones in the summer term here made her first trial in teaching the young idea to shoot. She displayed a commendable zeal in her work, together with an earnest desire to accomplish the best results for her pupils, and a good degree of success crowned her efforts. The mutual good will existing between pupils and teacher contributed not a little to the pleasure and profit of the term.

Miss Edith M. Page brought to the winter term the experience previously gained in teaching two terms this year, thus bestowing greater confidence of success in this. She possesses an abundant supply of patience and good nature that enables her to accomplish excellent results with young scholars, and her efforts in this school were highly satisfactory.

Percentage of daily attendance, first term, 100; second term, 87.50.

Register correct.

Number of visitors, 10.

LOUGEETOWN SCHOOL, NO. 7.

Miss Florence M. Shannon, assuming for the first time the office of teacher, has very acceptably conducted two terms in this school the past year.

The school continues to be small in numbers, but Miss Shannon did not allow the time to pass unemployed. She succeeded in enlisting the interest of her pupils in the work before them, thus attaining a very commendable degree of improvement.

We congratulate the members of this school that they will have a pleasant and commodious room in which to assemble for the next term.

Percentage of daily attendance, summer term, 80; fall term, 100.

Register correct.

Number of visitors, 22.

GALE SCHOOL, NO. 11.

The summer term was taught by Miss Minnie E. Nelson, who has had charge of this school several terms

in succession, and who, by a thorough and systematic administration, has brought it to a degree of perfection highly creditable to herself, and satisfactory to all who are interested in its welfare. Teacher and pupils have worked harmoniously together, creating an interest and enthusiasm that was productive of the best results. Miss Nelson's health having failed, so that she was unable to take charge at the fall term, Miss Carrie M. Sargent was procured to fill the position.

Miss Sargent was thorough and painstaking; earnestly wishing and working for what she believed to be the best interests of her school; and those pupils who were studious and well behaved showed good improvement.

Percentage of daily attendance, summer term, 100; fall term, 100.

Register complete.

Number of visitors, 20.

COGSWELL SCHOOL, NO. 6.

Miss Edith M. Page was instated in the office of teacher of the summer term. It was her first experience and as such was very successful. Her class was small and composed of quite young scholars, yet she exhibited patience and skill in their management—two very requisite qualifications for a successful teacher.

The fall term, under the instruction of Miss Lillian M. Eveleth, was a profitable one to those pupils who were punctual and continuous in attendance. Miss Eveleth evinced a lively interest in her work, and if there was failure to attain all the success desired, we think it was largely due to imperfect attendance. Some excellent work in book-keeping was shown, and meritorious progress exhibited by the younger members of the school. Several of the larger scholars were absent, unavoidably perhaps, the last weeks of the term.

Percentage of daily attendance, summer term, 100; fall term, 99.99.

Number of visitors, 35.

Register nearly correct.

IRON WORKS SCHOOL, NO. 18.

Summer and winter terms taught by Mrs. C. M. Leyland, whose reputation in this school is so well established as to render commendation by us unnecessary. The general satisfaction and success attending her administration of the school the previous year, created a demand for her to continue in charge that could not well be ignored.

The winter term has suffered an unfortunate interruption by sickness of the teacher, but is now again in session with prospect of a successful termination. Interesting rhetorical exercises at the close of the summer term were attended by a large number of visitors.

Percentage of daily attendance for first term, 91.30.

Number of visitors, 30.

Register perfect.

ALLEN'S MILLS DISTRICT, NO. 8.

A summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Mary E. Weeks. This was the first experience of Miss Weeks as a teacher. She was very ready to do all in her power to help these little ones, and with more experience, I feel sure she may yet accomplish much good as a teacher.

Number of visitors, 18.

Fall term of ten weeks taught by Miss Alice E. Abbott. This was Miss Abbott's tenth term of teaching, and she brought a good fund of former experience to bear on this little school of five scholars. There was marked progress in all of their studies. The teacher seemed to gain the good will of all of her pupils and every effort seemed crowned with success.

Number of visitors, 29.

CORNER DISTRICT, NO. 7.

Summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Emma S. Page. This was Miss Page's second term in this district and I think I may safely say she gave good satisfaction to all of those interested in the welfare of this school. She is always on the alert to help those needing

help, and yet governs her school perfectly. Several visitors at the close expressed their approbation of her efforts and words of commendation were plenty.

Percentage of daily attendance, 89.47.

Number of visitors, 22.

Second term of nine weeks taught by Miss Maybelle A. D. Moore. This was Miss Moore's second attempt at teaching, and I think was quite a profitable term. There was good improvement on the part of those who attended regularly. Perhaps the most noticeable was in the reading classes; if more attention was given to reading in all of our schools methinks it would be far better.

Percentage of daily attendance, 100.

Number of visitors, 7.

JONES'S MILLS DISTRICT, NO. 13.

Summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Alice Abbott. Several scholars came into this district this term from other districts, making quite a large school and a very interesting one. Yet there is room for more interest on the part of some. Miss Abbott seemed to labor earnestly for her pupils and fair progress was made, but a few seemed more interested in what some others were doing than what they ought to be doing themselves. One little girl of eight years had not missed a word in spelling for the term; another pupil had not missed a question in geography, showing some had applied themselves to some purpose.

Percentage of daily attendance, 89.47.

Number of visitors, 13.

Second term of nine weeks taught by Miss Lillian M. Eveleth. This school had not as many pupils as in the summer, and has been interrupted by sickness to a great extent. Those who were able to attend to the close gave evidence of thoroughness and good progress. Order very good. General satisfaction is expressed by the district. Miss Eveleth acquitted herself well and we deem her efforts a success.

Percentage of daily attendance, 90.90.

Number of visitors, 20.

SANBORN DISTRICT, NO. 16.

Summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Lillian M. Eveleth. This is a small school of tractable scholars. I do not think there is a more pleasant school in town. The parents and children all work with the teacher and the result is very satisfactory. The children are very eager to learn, which combined with the willingness of the teacher to impart knowledge, renders the term both pleasant and profitable. We can but feel this term a success; the only lack is for a longer term of schooling. Order good.

Number of visitors, 17.

Fall term of ten weeks taught by Miss Edith M. Page. This was only the second term of school that Miss Page has taught, yet she was quite at home in the schoolroom. The school sustained its former good reputation and again we feel to count it a success. Good improvement was made in reading, and the prompt recitation of multiplication and division tables was very gratifying. The teacher felt even this term too short to accomplish what she desired for the pupils. Prizes were offered and several won as might be expected of this school. Order good.

Number of visitors, 23.

LAMPREY DISTRICT, NO. 17.

Summer term of eight weeks taught by Miss Mabelle A. D. Moore. There was no school in the Rogers district this year, and as the previous year the two districts were combined, making this school a little larger, yet it is a small school.

It is a very interesting field for a teacher. This is a difficult school especially to one of little or no experience. The pupils being of all ages it seems impossible to have it well classified. Miss Moore proved herself equal to the school and good progress was made. Here was the most noticeable progress in reading of any school in this section. Order good. Number of visitors, 11.

Fall term of nine weeks taught by Miss Minnie A. Hutchinson of Bridgewater, Mass. Owing to disappoint-

ment this school did not begin with the other fall schools. Miss Hutchinson came here a perfect stranger to our methods, but it was soon evident she had a method of her own and a very good one. She soon won the respect and obedience of her pupils. She proved herself a very efficient teacher and few would have thought this her first effort. General satisfaction was expressed by the district, all speaking well of the school.

Good improvement was made in all of the classes. A large attendance of friends at its close gave evidence of the interest the school had awakened. Order, perfect.

Number of visitors, 24.

Percentage of daily attendance, first term, 100 ; second term, 90.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

KELLEY DISTRICT.

First term : Edith G. Brown, Annie M. Carr, Maude E. Gilman, Annie M. Laury, Jennie I. Merrill, Eva G. Osborne, Amy D. Osborne, Jerry Blake, George E. Merrill, Clarence E. Merrill, Amos A. Tilton.

Second term : Edith G. Brown, Ethel M. Brown, Amy D. Osborne, Abbie J. Parsons, Frank W. Foss, Carroll E. Foss, Wilbur D. Pitman. Worthy of mention, Warren Loughton, Charlie Kelley, Annie M. Carr, Eva G. Osborne, Katie Loughton, Grace Loughton, Mamie Kelley, Albert Adams.

PARISH DISTRICT.

Edith G. Brown, Grace E. Foss, Maude E. Gilman, Annie M. Laury, Frank W. Foss, Carroll E. Foss, Wilbur D. Pitman, Alna L. Pease, Brice E. Pease. Worthy of mention, Ethel M. Brown.

POND DISTRICT.

Willie A. Tilton, Willie Kimball. Worthy of mention, Fred S. French.

GRIFFIN DISTRICT.

Worthy of mention, Leta M. Griffin, Lee V. Pease, Zilla Pease, Frank A. Wheeler.

SMITH MEETING-HOUSE DISTRICT.

First term : Winnie M. Page, Nellie C. Page, Nettie R. Peaslee, Bessie M. Peaslee, Charlie H. Peaslee, Curtis R. Brown, Fred A. Gale, Bert S. Gale, Charlie N. Glines, Frank York.

Second term : Winnie M. Page, Nellie C. Page, Nettie R. Peaslee, Bessie M. Peaslee, Charles N. Glines, Bert W. Gale, Fred A. Gale, Bert S. Gale, Charlie H. Peaslee, Frank York, Fred W. Page.

POTTER DISTRICT.

First term : Fred A. Barber, Carroll E. Foss, Harris L. Greene. Worthy of special mention, Brice E. Pease, Hattie M. Clough, Esther Goodwin, Annie M. Barber.

Second term : Fred A. Barber, Joseph C. Barber, Annie M. Barber, Clarence B. Clarke, Hattie M. Clough, Frank W. Foss, Carroll E. Foss, Grace E. Foss, Ernest H. Goodwin, Charles E. Goodwin, Esther Goodwin, Alna L. Pease, Brice E. Pease.

NO. 8, ALLEN'S MILLS DISTRICT.

First term : Olo D. Mudgett, Harry E. Mudgett. Worthy of mention, Oscar C. Dow.

Second term : Oscar C. Dow, Harry E. Mudgett, Blanchy Pease.

NO. 9, CORNER DISTRICT.

First term : Frank Page, Flossie B. Twombly, Jane Willard, Mary Wight, Charlie W. Knowles, Betsey M. Knowles, Earl Taylor, Ruie E. Lane. Worthy of mention, George F. M. Knowles, one half day ; John R. Sawyer, one day ; Blanche L. Sawyer, one day ; Blanche L. Sawyer, Betsey M. Knowles.

Second term : Flossie B. Twombly, George F. M. Knowles, Frank Page, Arthur Longee. Worthy of mention, Charlie W. Knowles, John R. Sawyer.

LAMPREY.

First term : Carabel Munsey, Bessie L. Munsey, May A. Lamprey, Ethel D. Lamprey, Angie O. Willey, Warren Lamprey. Worthy of mention, Guy Ellsworth, Leon Ellsworth, Lester Ellsworth.

Second term : Worthy of mention, Ethel D. Lamprey, Warren Lamprey, Bessie L. Munsey, Guy Ellsworth, Leon Ellsworth, Lester Ellsworth.

SANBORN DISTRICT.

First term : Lelice F. Young, Clarence L. Sargent, Walter S. Page, Charlie Burress, Orman Burress, Winnie Weeks, Hyacinth Staples.

Second term : Lelia F. Young, Clarence L. Sargent, Joseph L. Marsh, Walter S. Page, Winnie Weeks, one day. Worthy of mention, Walter E. Page.

JONES'S MILLS.

First term : Minnie B. Greenough, Josie C. Clifford, Ida M. Sidney, Grace B. Worthington, Rufus L. Flanders.

Second term : Mary C. Gray, Grace B. Worthington.

NO. 3, HALL'S HILL.

First term : Guy S. Clough, Russell W. Clough. Worthy of mention, Mabel W. Page, Mary E. Page, Forrest A. Canney.

Second term : Russell W. Clough. Worthy of mention, Willie E. Clough, Albert D. Clough, Mabel W. Page, Mary E. Page.

NO. 7, LOUGEETOWN.

Second term : Henry P. Ellis, Bertha M. Ellis, Hattie R. Ellis.

NO. 6, COGSWELL.

First term : Ethel M. Bemis, Della M. Bemis, Amos R. Price. Worthy of mention, Bertha L. Haines, Willie A. Smith.

Second term : Ethel M. Bemis, Della M. Bemis, Amos R. Price. Worthy of mention, Fred A. Barber, Joseph Barber.

NO. 11, GALE.

First term : Winnie A. Page, Dwight R. Page, Blanche Weeks, Charles W. Beck, Florence D. Merrill. Worthy of mention, Arthur O. Thompson, Nelson C. Page.

Second term : Blanche M. D. Weeks. Worthy of mention, Harry E. Dennet.

NO. 18, IRON WORKS.

First term : Ina Connell, Lena Moulton, Ada Flanders, Natt Jones, Warren Marsh.

Second term : Florence Marsh, Belle Marsh, Zina Marsh, Grace Bole, Ina Connell, Ada Flanders, Dora Tebbetts, Natt Jones, Roy Edgerly, Mellen Brown, Ernest Young.

GEORGE W. PARSONS,
JOHN H. JONES,
ARABELLE Z. KNOWLES,
School Board.

GILMANTON, N. H., February 27, 1892.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

NUMBER AND NAME OF SCHOOL.	TERM.	NAME OF TEACHER.	Wages per month.	Length in weeks.	No. of scholars.	Average attendance.	Reading.	Spelling.	Pennmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Algebra.	Book-keeping.	Physiology and hygiene.	Civil government.	Composition.	Rhetoric.
1. Kelley	Summer...	Mrs. E. M. Gilman	\$20.00	8	25	24	24	25	24	20	11	3	9	...	1	...	...	...	...
2. Potter.....	Winter...	Mrs. E. M. Gilman	26.00	6	23	21	22	22	21	10	7	3	9	1	3	...	...	...	...
3. Hall's Hill	Summer...	Miss E. A. Clark	20.00	8	17	16	10	10	7	10	5	7	7	...	2	2	...	...	...
4. Pond	Winter...	Mrs. E. M. Gilman	24.00	6	10	17	17	17	13	17	4	9	14	2	2	4	...	7	...
5. Smith writing-house.	Summer...	Jessie N. Jones	16.00	8	8	8	8	8	7	7	5	5	4	...	...	3	...	...	...
6. Cogswell	Winter...	Miss E. M. Page	18.00	6	8	7	8	8	7	6	5	5	4	...	...	2	...	...	...
7. Lougetown.....	Summer...	Miss G. M. Griffin	18.00	8	15	14	15	15	15	14	3	3	3	...	...	9	...	...	...
8. Allen's Mills.	Winter...	Miss G. M. Griffin	20.00	8	22	20	19	20	19	10	5	7	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
9. Corner	Summer...	Mr. H. F. Gilman	16.00	8	6	6	6	6	6	6	3	3	1	...	...	3	...	1	...
10. Sanborn	Fall	Miss E. M. Page	20.00	10	13	13	13	13	12	11	2	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
11. Gale.....	Summer...	Miss L. M. Eveleth	16.00	8	5	4	5	5	5	4	4	4	2	...	...	3	...	3	...
12. Jones's Mills.....	Fall	Florence M. Shannon.	16.00	8	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	2	...	...	4	...	...	...
13. Griffin	Summer...	Miss M. E. Weeks	14.00	10	22	22	22	22	21	15	9	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Parish	Fall	Miss A. E. Abbott	18.00	10	22	17	22	22	21	15	9	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Lauprey	Summer...	Miss E. N. Page	20.00	8	26	16	26	26	20	21	14	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Iron Works	Fall	Miss M. A. D. Moore	18.00	8	8	8	8	8	7	7	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17.	Summer...	Miss L. M. Eveleth	17.00	10	7	6	7	7	7	7	4	4	2	...	...	8	...	1	...
18.	Fall	Miss E. M. Nelson	20.00	8	12	11	12	12	11	10	8	2	1	...	...	3	...	...	...
19.	Summer...	Miss C. M. Sargent	20.00	10	22	17	22	22	22	16	13	10	2	4	1	12	...	...	...
20.	Fall	Miss A. E. Abbott	20.00	8	22	17	22	22	22	16	13	10	2	4	1	12	...	...	...
21.	Summer...	Miss L. M. Eveleth	22.00	11	8	6	7	7	7	7	4	3	5	...	...	1	...	...	...
22.	Winter...	Miss E. A. Clark	24.00	6	21	18	20	20	20	16	8	4	2	...	...	1	...	...	...
23.	Fall	Mrs. E. M. Gilman	26.00	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	6	6	2	...	...	3	...	...	...
24.	Summer...	Miss M. A. D. Moore	16.00	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	6	4	...	...	2	...	...	...
25.	Fall	Miss M. A. Hutchinson	24.00	9	24	21	24	24	22	21	7	8	0	...	...	6	...	2	...
26.	Winter...	Mrs. C. M. Leyland	24.00	10	25	21	24	24	22	21	7	8	0	...	...	6	...	...	...

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Arabelle Z. Knowles, treasurer of school board, in account with the school district of the town of Gilmanton :

1891.

April 25.	Received of Frank M. Twombly, treasurer of school board, 1890 . . .	\$141.76
June 28.	of J. Connell, treasurer	400.00
Aug. 22.	of town of Loudon . . .	2.00
Oct. 31.	of J. Connell, treasurer	86.00
Nov. 16.	of J. Connell, treasurer	494.00
Feb. 18.	of J. Connell, treasurer	219.35
27.	of Geo. W. Morrill of Loudon	2.40
27.	of Warren Blake of Loudon	2.40
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		\$1,347.91
	Paid orders of school board	1,285.94
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	Balance in hands of treasurer	\$61.97

Paid by order of school board as follows :

1891.

Jan. 5.	James C. Ham, transportation of daughter	\$1.50
Feb. 8.	John H. Jones, one half gallon blackboard dressing	2.00
18.	John H. Jones, postage and station- ery, door key for Iron Works . . .	2.20
18.	George W. Parsons, postage, sta- tionery and other incidentals . . .	12.48
Mar. 10.	Frank M. Twombly, money orders, telephoning in connection with school affairs	5.00
10.	Haven F. Gilman, wood furnished Smith Meeting-house district . . .	2.00

May	4.	Mrs. David Fogg for cleaning schoolhouses, Districts Nos. 9 and 13	\$2.00
June	26.	Miss Emma A. Clark, teaching 8 weeks in Potter district	40.25
	26.	Miss Emma S. Page, teaching 8 weeks in Corner district	40.00
	30.	Miss Alice E. Abbott, teaching in Jones's Mills district 8 weeks	40.00
	30.	Miss Mabelle A. D. Moore, teaching 8 weeks in Lamprey district	32.00
	30.	Miss Georgia M. Griffin, teaching in Smith Meeting-house district 8 weeks	32.00
July	1.	Miss Mary E. Weeks, teaching in Allen's Mills district 8 weeks	28.00
	3.	Mrs. Etta M. Gilman, teaching in Kelley district 8 weeks	40.00
	3.	Miss Lillian M. Eveleth, teaching in Sanborn district 8 weeks, and cleaning schoolhouse	37.00
	7.	Miss Florence Shannon, teaching in Lougetown district 8 weeks	32.00
	8.	Miss Edith M. Page, teaching in Cogswell district 8 weeks	32.00
	9.	Miss Jessie N. Jones, teaching in Hall's Hill school 8 weeks	32.00
	9.	Natt H. Jones, fitting wood for Iron Works district	1.69
	9.	D. H. Moulton, transportation of daughter, summer, 1891	10.12
	9.	J. H. Jones, painting blackboards in Districts 1, 2, 13, 8 and 9	3.00
Aug.	22.	Mrs. Chas. G. Sanborn, cleaning Kelley and Potter schoolhouses, 1891	2.00
	22.	Mrs. Josie Munsey, cleaning schoolhouse in Lamprey district	1.00
Nov.	13.	Miss Lillian M. Eveleth, teaching in Cogswell district, fall term	50.00
	14.	Rufus A. Knowles, wood, glass, and incidentals furnished District 9	6.50

Nov. 13.	Moses S. Gale, glass and setting and plastering, District No. 16 .	\$1.50
15.	Daniel Dow, wood furnished Allen's Mills school	5.00
17.	Miss M. A. D. Moore, teaching in Corner district 18 weeks . . .	50.00
19.	Miss Alice E. Abbott, teaching in Allen's Mills district 10 weeks .	40.00
24.	W. J. Edgerly, wood furnished Iron Works district	6.75
25.	Miss Minnie A. Hutchinson, teaching in Lamprey district 9 weeks .	54.00
25.	Charles M. Batchelder, wood furnished Sanborn school	3.50
25.	Jay R. Munsey, wood furnished Lamprey district	5.00
26.	Miss Edith M. Page, teaching in Sanborn district 10 weeks .	42.50
28.	Miss Minnie E. Nelson, teaching in Gale district 8 weeks	40.00
29.	Mrs. C. M. Leyland, teaching in Iron Works school 9 weeks .	54.00
Dec. 5.	Chas. A. Price, wood furnished Cogswell school	2.50
	S. J. Gale, wood furnished Gale school	2.50
	Miss Florence M. Shannon, teaching in Lougetown district 8 weeks	32.00
5.	Albert R. Page, wood furnished Hall's Hill school	4.00
5.	Mrs. Mary Lougee, rent of room in Lougetown district	4.00
5.	John H. Jones, postage and money paid out for supplies	3.50
5.	Miss Carrie M. Sargent, teaching in Gale school 10 weeks . . .	50.00
5.	Mrs. Etta M. Gilman, teaching 6 weeks in Parish and 6 weeks in Kelley districts	78.00
5.	Miss Emma A. Clark, teaching 11 weeks in Griffin district . . .	66.00

1892.		
Feb. 5.	Miss Georgia M. Griffin, teaching in Pond district 6 weeks . . .	\$27.00
19.	Reuben Lougee, wood furnished Lougeetown district . . .	2.00
19.	Miss Edith M. Page, teaching in Hall's Hill school 9 weeks . . .	40.50
20.	James A. Jones, wood furnished Jones's Mills district . . .	5.00
20.	A. Z. Knowles, for repairs and supplies for Jones's Mills district . .	6.32
20.	Miss Lillian M. Eveleth, teaching in Jones's Mills district 9 weeks . .	49.50
27.	Haven F. Gilman, teaching in Smith's Meeting-house district . .	40.00
27.	Mrs. Etta M. Gilman, teaching in Potter district 6 weeks . . .	36.00
27.	George W. Parsons, money paid for school supplies, freight and express, for brooms, dippers, etc. . .	7.37
27.	Allie C. Jones, wood furnished Griffin district . . .	4.00
27.	George W. Griffin, transporting children to Kelley, and incidentals . . .	8.25
27.	Joseph Brown, wood furnished Parish and Kelley districts . . .	6.25
27.	Albert W. Hill, wood furnished Pond district . . .	6.50
27.	Angeline N. Edgerly, wood furnished Potter district . . .	6.25
27.	A. Z. Knowles, money paid out for Districts Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 17, express on books, postage, etc. . .	5.70
27.	John H. Jones, money paid for express, postage, and stationery . .	2.06
27.	Luther E. Page, care of school, building fires in Hall's Hill . .	1.75
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		\$1,285.94

RECAPITULATION.

Amount drawn from town treasurer for school year of 1891	\$1,199.35
Balance from last year	141.76
Amount received from out-of-town parties for schooling	6.80
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	\$1,347.91
Paid orders of school board of 1891	1,285.94
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Balance in hands of treasurer, Feb. 27, 1892	\$61.97
ARABELLE Z. KNOWLES,	
<i>Treasurer.</i>	

We have carefully examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and a balance of \$61.97 in the hands of the treasurer.

GEORGE W. DOW, 2d,
LUTHER E. PAGE,
Auditors.

There is yet an order unpaid for the Iron Works school, for the unfinished winter term of 1892, of \$60, which will leave an actual balance of \$1.97 in the hands of the treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON REPAIRS OF THE LOUGEETOWN SCHOOLHOUSE.

Examination by your committee determined the fact that nothing less than an entire refitting, both outside and inside, would put this building in suitable condition to be occupied for school purposes.

The entire job was contracted to Messrs. N. B. and J. H. Jones, who, for the amount of the appropriation three hundred dollars (\$300), agreed to take the old building as it was and put it in readiness for school use according to the plans submitted.

The building has been raised one foot upon its foundation; newly clapboarded and shingled; a projection put upon the front and sides; new windows, doors and frames put in, and the whole painted two coats outside.

The interior has been entirely remodelled, finished and plastered anew, and painted two coats. It is furnished with the Grand Rapids improved "Perfect Automatic" school seats and desks, new teacher's desk, and new blackboards, making a very pleasant and convenient school room.

GEO. W. PARSONS,
JOHN H. JONES,
A. Z. KNOWLES,
Committee on Repairs.

GILMANTON, N. H., Feb. 27, 1892.

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN TOWN OF GILMANTON, N. H., FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Date of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and Condition.				Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or still-born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, &c.	Color.	
March 4.	M. Wentworth Hart....	M	.....	Living	1st.	M. A. H. Hart.....	Estella L. Hart.....
April 21.	Bernice Mand Clark....	.....	F	Living	1st.	Leslie D. Clark.....	Minnie M. Clark.....
July 19.	.....	.....	F	Living	1st.	John T. Elkins.....	Cora Bell Ham.....
August 11.	Inez Seavey.....	.....	F	Living	1st.	Joseph E. Seavey.....	Nellie S. Jones.....
August 12.	Carl Thompson Smith..	M	.....	Living	1st.	George E. Smith.....	Etta McAlpine.....
October 31.	.....	M	.....	Still-born	7th.	Elbridge G. Clough....	Emma Clough.....
December 14.	Mina Julia Bickford....	.....	F	Living	1st.	Frederick A. Bickford..	Henrietta Downing....

Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of mother.
W	Gilmanton.....	Physician.....	Milton.....	Fair Haven, Vt.
"	Gilmanton.....	Farmer.....	Gilmanton.....	Gilmanton.
"	Gilmanton.....	Farmer.....	Alexandria.....	Gilmanton.
"	Farmington.....	Hotel keeper.....	Gilmanton.....	"
"	Gilmanton.....	Farmer and butcher.....	Gilmanton.....	"
"	Gilmanton.....	Mechanic.....	Gilmanton.....	"
"	Weirs.....	".....S.	Meredith.....	Woodstock

WALTER H. S. HATCH, *Town Clerk.*

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILMANTON FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Date of marriage.	Names.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Age, in yrs.	Color of each.	Occupation of groom and bride.
Feb. 4....	John N. Short.....	Lowell, Mass.....	Gilmanton.....	49	W	Clergyman.....
	Mary F. Folsom.....	Gilmanton.....		45	"	Housewife..
June 23....	George H. Greenough.	Gilmanton.....	Springfield, Vt....	41	"	Farmer.....
	Charlotte M. McGilbary.....	Nova Scotia		37	"	Housekeeper.....
Aug. 17....	Mark S. W. Jefferson.....	McDrose, Mass.....	Gilmanton.....	28	"	School teacher.....
	Theodora A. Bohnstedt.	Gilmanton.....		28	"	Housekeeper.
Aug. 29	Willie E. Sanborn.....	Gilmanton.....	Alton	24	"	Blacksmith.....
	Electa A. Furber	Alton		23	"	Operative
Oct. 27.....	Frank A. Davis	Boston, Mass.....	Gilmanton.....	25	"	Observer in U. S. weather inst.....
	Anna Belle Dimick	Gilmanton.....		23	"	Student.....
Nov. 8....	Erskine H. Marsh	Gilmanton.....	Pittsfield.....	29	"	Shoemaker.....
	Jennie B. Davis.....	Alton		27	"	Housewife.....
Nov. 16....	Jesse F. Page	Alton.....	Meredith.....	42	"	Farmer.....
	Mary E. Canney	Gilmanton.....		39	"	Housewife.....
Nov. 25....	Benjamin A. Ricker.	Gilmanton.....	Gilmanton.....	65	"	Farmer.....
	Christehania B. Flanders... ..	Gilmanton.....		38	"	Housewife
Dec. 26 ...	Herman A. Page.....	Gilmanton.....	Gilmanton.....	21	"	Carpenter.....
	Anna B. Page.....	Gilmanton.....		27	"	Housewife.....

Condition.	Place of birth of each.	Name of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Second	Middlefield, Mass.	Charles Short.	Scotland.	Stone cutter.	
First	Thornton	Jane Short.	Ireland.	Housewife.	Rev. Samuel H. Amsden, Gilmanton.
		Orrin Folsom.	Gilmanton	Farmer.	
Second	Concord	Lydia Ann Folsom.	Gilmanton	Housewife.	
		William C. Greenough.		Farmer.	
Second	Nova Scotia	Nancy K. Greenough.	Concord	Housewife.	Rev. C. F. McIntire, Springfield, Vt.
		David McNair.		Farmer.	
First	Melrose, Mass.	Daniel Jefferson.	London, Eng.	Bookseller.	
		Mary E. Mantz.	London, Eng.	Housewife.	
First	Independence, Texas.	T. E. A. Bolnsted.			Rev. Charles S. Holton, Gilmanton.
		Charles G. Sanborn.	Gilmanton.	Farmer.	
First	Gilmanton.	Amanda Stockbridge.	Alton	Housewife.	
		Samuel E. Furber.	Alton	Farmer.	Rev. Willard S. Packard, Alton.
First	Alton	Sarah Hodgdon.	Barnstead	Housewife.	
		Albert W. Davis.	Lee.	Farmer.	
First	Lee	Sarah E. Randall.	Milton.	Housewife.	
		William Dimeck.			Rev. Charles S. Holton, Gilmanton.
First	Gilmanton	Anna M. Folsom.	Gilmanton.	Housewife.	
		Joseph W. Marsh.	Gilmanton.	Blacksmith.	
First	Gilmanton	Adaline Barker.		Housewife.	
		Alfred Davis.		Farmer.	Rev. Samuel Bell, Pittsfield.
First	Gilmanton	Elizabeth Davis.		Housewife.	
		Jesse L. Page.		Farmer.	
First	Gilmanton	Betsy Marsh.	London.	Housewife.	Rev. Noah Glidden, Meredith.
		Thomas J. Tibbitts.	Wolfeborough		
Second	Wolfeborough.	Sarah E. Lock.	Wakefield		
		Benjamin Ricket.			
Second	Wolfeborough.	Susan Fogg.			
		Ira M. Flanders.	Alton.	Farmer.	Rev. J. G. Munsey, Gilmanton.
First	Gilmanton.	Susan H. Plummer.	Gilford.	Housewife.	
		Albort R. Page.	Gilmanton.	Farmer.	
First	Gilmanton.	Addie C. Clements.	Alton.	Housewife.	
		Dixie C. Page.	Gilmanton.	Farmer.	Rev. Edwin T. Hurd, Gilmanton.
First	Gilmanton.	Serene Webster.	Gilmanton.	Housewife.	

WALTER H. S. HATCH, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILMANTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1891.

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
					Sex.	Color.	Single, married, or widowed.	Father.	Mother.		
Mar. 18	Horace D. Ellis.....	36	.....	Alton	M	W	M	Farmer.....	Alton	Alfred G. Ellis ..	Mary A. Ellis.
Apr. 13	Ada Gilman.....	20	.....	Gilmanton.....	F	"	S	Student.....	Gilmanton.....	Cyrus Gilman....	Ellen Clay.
Apr. 17	Henry E. Marsh.....	67	2	Gilmanton.....	M	"	M	Farmer.....	Sidney, Me.	Edward Marsh....	Elizabeth Page.
June 3	Lydia Ann Folsom....	70	5	Gilmanton.....	F	"	"	Housewife.....	Gilmanton.....	Nathaniel Nelson..	Mary Chamberlin.
Aug. 17	George W. Swain.....	34	.....	Gilmanton.....	M	"	S	Insurance Agent.	.....	William N. Swain..	Molly Sanborn.
Sept. 17	Mahala Page.....	73	8	Saunderston.....	F	"	W	Housewife.....	Hampton.....	Simon Tole.....	.....
Sept. 17	Elizabeth P. Chase....	.....	.....	.....	F	"	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sept. 27	Martha A. Jones.....	63	3	Belmont.....	"	"	"	.....	.....	Nathaniel Gale....	.....
Oct. 30	John S. Page.....	66	5	Gilmanton.....	M	"	"	Farmer.....	.....	Moses Page.....	Dorothy Sanborn.
Oct. 29	Linda Griffin.....	89	6	Gilmanton.....	F	"	W	Housewife.....	.....	.....	.....
Nov. 9	Ezekiel E. Merrill....	78	7	Gilmanton.....	M	"	M	Farmer.....	.....	John Phipps.....	.....
Nov. 25	Fannie Holbrook.....	89	.....	.....	F	"	W	Sherburne, Mass.	Gilmanton.....	Thomas Phipps....	Hannah Colledge.
Dec. 26	Maria L. Mack.....	96	1	Gilmanton.....	"	"	"	Housewife.....	Milford	Thomas Burns....	Nancy Greeley.
Dec. 13	Georgie Varney.....	46	4	Gilmanton.....	"	"	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec. 30	Sally Lougee.....	56	.....	Gilmanton.....	"	"	W	.....	.....	Eliphet Kimball..	.....

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER H. S. HATCH, Town Clerk.

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